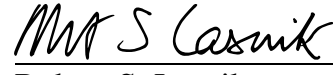


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6 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
7 WESTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON  
8 AT SEATTLE

9 BARRY DWAYNE MINNFEE, )  
10 Plaintiff, ) CASE NO. C07-518-RSL-JPD  
11 v. ) ORDER OF DISMISSAL  
12 ROBERT MUELLER, *et al.*, )  
13 Defendants. )

14 Plaintiff, who is currently incarcerated in Amarillo, Texas, has filed a proposed complaint  
15 pursuant to 42 U.S.C. § 1983. The court has reviewed the complaint pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 1915A,  
16 and finds that venue is not proper in this District. To the extent that plaintiff's claims are  
17 decipherable, he appears to allege that his constitutional rights have been violated by Robert Mueller,  
18 the Director of the FBI in Washington, D.C., by the Dallas office of the FBI, and by Governor Rick  
19 Perry, Governor of Texas. Thus, the events giving rise to this lawsuit did not occur in this District,  
20 nor do any of the defendants reside here. *See* 28 U.S.C. § 1391(b). In addition, this lawsuit is the  
21 third filed erroneously by plaintiff in this District in the past 60 days. *See Minnfee v. Jones*, Case  
22 No. C07-200-JLR, *Minnfe v. Associate Attorney General*, Case No. C07-399-JCC. Plaintiff was  
23 advised of the rules governing venue in those other cases, but has apparently chosen to ignore the  
24 Court's advice. Accordingly, the complaint and this action are DISMISSED without prejudice to  
25 refiling in the proper venue. The Clerk is directed to send copies of this Order to plaintiff and to the  
26 Hon. James P. Donohue.

1 DATED this 16<sup>th</sup> day of April, 2007.

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3 Robert S. Lasnik  
4 United States District Judge  
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6 Recommended for entry this  
7 10th day of April, 2007.

8 /s/ MARY ALICE THEILER  
9 for JAMES P. DONOHUE  
10 United States Magistrate Judge  
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